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We Want to Be a Partner in EPA's
National Partnership for Environmental Priorities

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PARTNER AGREEMENT

Our organization is choosing to become a partner in EPA's National Partnership for Environmental Priorities. Our goal is to reduce the quantity of one or more Priority Chemicals currently found in our products, processes, or releases using techniques such as source reduction, recycling, or other materials management practices. In this enrollment application, we identify one or more voluntary goals that we believe we can achieve as partners in this program. The voluntary goal(s) provided below is an initial estimate and may change over time. We may revise our goal(s) or withdraw from the program at any time. If/when we choose to revise our goals or withdraw from the program, we will notify EPA.

GOAL #1. Chemical Name: Mercury **CASRN:** 7439-97-6
Narrative description of proposed project:
Our goal is to eliminate the use of mercury except where no alternative exists and to clean up any mercury contaminants within the buildings prior to demolition/renovation of space. We have embarked on an organization-wide education and awareness program to eliminate mercury use where alternatives are available.
How we will measure success:
We will measure success by comparing the amount of mercury in our facility before and after the project.

1a. Our voluntary **source reduction** goal for Chemical #1 is to reduce the amount of this chemical generated/used from a baseline amount of _____ pounds in _____ (month/year) to a reduced amount of _____ pounds generated/used by _____ (month/year).

1b. To accomplish this goal, we will use the following source reduction options (check all that apply):

_____ Equipment or technology modifications.
_____ Process or procedure modifications.
_____ Reformulation or redesign of products.
_____ Substitution of less toxic raw materials.
_____ Improvements in inventory control.
_____ Improvements in maintenance/housekeeping practices.
_____ Other (describe): _____

2a. In addition to, or in lieu of using source reduction methods, our voluntary **recycling or recovery** goal for Chemical #1 is to increase the recycled or recovered quantity of this chemical from a baseline amount of 0.0 pounds in June, 2006 (month/year) to an increased quantity of 1.0 pounds by December, 2006 (month/year).

2b. To accomplish this recycling or recovery goal, we will use the following options (check all that apply):

_____ Direct use/reuse in a process to make a product.
X Processing the waste to recover or regenerate a usable product.
_____ Using/reusing waste as a substitute for a commercial product.
X Other (describe): Education of our purchasing agents and staff to relay the hazards and encourage use of non-mercury products.

Please use supplemental sheets for additional goals.